

# Bismarck Daily Tribune.

IGHTEENTH YEAR.

BISMARCK, NORTH DAKOTA, FRIDAY APRIL 8, 1898.

PRICE, FIVE CENTS.

## LOCAL DIRECTORY.

**OFFICERS OF BURLEIGH COUNTY.**  
County Judge, John F. Fort.  
County Clerk, Walter Sealor.  
County Attorney, Edward A. Allen.  
Register of Deeds, John F. Fort.  
Surveyor, John F. Fort.  
Physician, John F. Fort.  
County Commissioner, George A. Weldon.  
County Surveyor, John F. Fort.  
County Engineer, John F. Fort.  
County Assessor, John F. Fort.  
County Treasurer, John F. Fort.

**BISMARCK CITY OFFICIALS.**  
Mayor, John F. Fort.  
City Clerk, John F. Fort.  
City Engineer, John F. Fort.  
City Assessor, John F. Fort.  
City Treasurer, John F. Fort.  
City Attorney, John F. Fort.  
City Surveyor, John F. Fort.  
City Physician, John F. Fort.  
City Commissioner, John F. Fort.  
City Inspector, John F. Fort.

**PUBLIC OFFICIALS AND OFFICES.**  
State Office, John F. Fort.  
County Office, John F. Fort.  
City Office, John F. Fort.  
Notary Public, John F. Fort.  
Recorder of Deeds, John F. Fort.  
Surveyor, John F. Fort.  
Physician, John F. Fort.  
County Commissioner, John F. Fort.  
County Assessor, John F. Fort.  
County Treasurer, John F. Fort.

**United States Marshal.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Attorney, John F. Fort.  
United States District Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Circuit Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Supreme Court Justice, John F. Fort.

**United States Senator.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.

**United States Marshal.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Attorney, John F. Fort.  
United States District Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Circuit Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Supreme Court Justice, John F. Fort.

**United States Senator.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.

**United States Marshal.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Attorney, John F. Fort.  
United States District Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Circuit Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Supreme Court Justice, John F. Fort.

**United States Senator.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.

**United States Marshal.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Attorney, John F. Fort.  
United States District Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Circuit Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Supreme Court Justice, John F. Fort.

**United States Senator.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.

**United States Marshal.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Attorney, John F. Fort.  
United States District Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Circuit Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Supreme Court Justice, John F. Fort.

**United States Senator.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.

**United States Marshal.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Attorney, John F. Fort.  
United States District Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Circuit Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Supreme Court Justice, John F. Fort.

**United States Senator.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.

**United States Marshal.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Attorney, John F. Fort.  
United States District Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Circuit Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Supreme Court Justice, John F. Fort.

**United States Senator.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.

**United States Marshal.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Attorney, John F. Fort.  
United States District Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Circuit Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Supreme Court Justice, John F. Fort.

**United States Senator.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.

**United States Marshal.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Attorney, John F. Fort.  
United States District Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Circuit Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Supreme Court Justice, John F. Fort.

**United States Senator.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.

**United States Marshal.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Attorney, John F. Fort.  
United States District Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Circuit Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Supreme Court Justice, John F. Fort.

**United States Senator.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.

**United States Marshal.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Attorney, John F. Fort.  
United States District Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Circuit Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Supreme Court Justice, John F. Fort.

**United States Senator.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.

**United States Marshal.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Attorney, John F. Fort.  
United States District Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Circuit Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Supreme Court Justice, John F. Fort.

**United States Senator.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.

**United States Marshal.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Attorney, John F. Fort.  
United States District Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Circuit Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Supreme Court Justice, John F. Fort.

**United States Senator.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.

**United States Marshal.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Attorney, John F. Fort.  
United States District Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Circuit Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Supreme Court Justice, John F. Fort.

**United States Senator.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.

**United States Marshal.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Attorney, John F. Fort.  
United States District Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Circuit Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Supreme Court Justice, John F. Fort.

**United States Senator.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.

**United States Marshal.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Attorney, John F. Fort.  
United States District Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Circuit Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Supreme Court Justice, John F. Fort.

**United States Senator.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.

**United States Marshal.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Attorney, John F. Fort.  
United States District Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Circuit Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Supreme Court Justice, John F. Fort.

**United States Senator.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.

**United States Marshal.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Attorney, John F. Fort.  
United States District Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Circuit Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Supreme Court Justice, John F. Fort.

**United States Senator.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.  
United States Representative, John F. Fort.  
United States Senator, John F. Fort.

**United States Marshal.**  
John F. Fort.  
United States Attorney, John F. Fort.  
United States District Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Circuit Judge, John F. Fort.  
United States Supreme Court Justice, John F. Fort.

## AT LEE'S REQUEST

That Said to Be Only Reason  
for Withholding the Pres-  
ident's Message.

Feared a Recommendation of  
Intervention Would Pre-  
cipitate a Riot.

NO PROPOSALS TO SPAIN

Negotiations Broken Off Sev-  
eral Days Since Not to  
Be Reopened.

Must Declare the Independ-  
ence of Cuba to Avert  
Hostilities.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—An author-  
itative summary of the Spanish Amer-  
ican situation is as follows:  
The temporary withholding of Pres-  
ident McKinley's message from con-  
gress was due to the receipt of a cable-  
gram from General Lee, our consul  
general at Havana, advising that if the  
message contemplated armed interven-  
tion it be deferred until all Americans  
in Cuba could leave the island. He  
stated that the exodus could be com-  
pleted by the 10th inst. Members  
of the foreign legation committee of  
the senate and senate, upon being shown  
this dispatch promptly concurred in  
the opinion of the president and cab-  
inet that the message should be de-  
layed until next Monday. The utmost  
confidence is felt by the administration  
and congress in the wisdom and good  
judgment of General Lee in any emergency.  
The rumors of disturbances in Havana  
are not confirmed, but the conditions there  
are extremely threatening. Consul  
General Lee is still at his post and will  
remain there until all other Americans  
are safe.

The president's message has only  
been changed in that it will ask con-  
gress to authorize and direct immediate  
intervention. Otherwise the message  
will stand as heretofore outlined and  
will be of such a vigorous, ringing  
character as to meet the full expecta-  
tions of congress and the country. It  
will inevitably mean war. Hostilities  
can only be averted by Spain herself  
declaring the independence of Cuba  
and yielding her sovereignty over the  
island. Negotiations with Spain  
have been reopened  
by the United States and will not be  
by the queen regent has not sent a per-  
sonal message to the president making  
a proposal for peace. With the influ-  
ence now at work through foreign diplo-  
matic channels to bring about a settle-  
ment of the difficulties between Spain  
and her rebellious subjects in Cuba  
this government has absolutely nothing  
to do. The administration and con-  
gress stand pledged to the freedom of  
Cuba and will accept no solution that  
does not involve the withdrawal of  
Spanish troops from the island and the  
hauling down of the Spanish flag.  
The five great powers have not sent  
a joint note to the United States con-  
sulting against war. Mediation of any  
sort has not been offered to this govern-  
ment and will not be accepted.

MINING THE HARBORS.

Engineering Corps Busy Along the At-  
lantic Coast.  
NEW YORK, April 8.—The engineer-  
ing corps under direction of Colonel  
Henry M. Robert has begun operations  
for the submarine mining of the en-  
trances to New York and other har-  
bors along the Atlantic coast. Detach-  
ments of engineers from Walla Walla  
were sent to Portland, Boston, Char-  
leston, Hampton Roads, Fort Wadsworth  
and Fort Hancock to lay cables and  
electrical apparatus for the mooring  
and operation of controlled mines. It  
will only take seven hours to com-  
pletely mine this harbor.

REFUGEES FROM HAVANA.

Steamer Mascotte Brings One Load and  
Returns for Another.

Key West, April 8.—The steamer  
Mascotte has arrived from Havana  
with 96 passengers aboard. She is  
coaling at the government dock and  
will return to Havana as soon as  
through. Every state room on the  
Mascotte was engaged. It is reported  
that there is great excitement in Ha-  
vana.

Says Mediation Is Impossible.

LONDON, April 7.—The Rome corre-  
spondent of the Daily Chronicle says  
Archbishop Ireland has cabled to the  
pope that mediation is almost impos-  
sible in consequence of the resistance  
of public opinion. His holiness is much  
grieved by this check to his good in-  
tention.

Gunboat Helena at Key West.

Key West, Fla., April 8.—The  
United States ship Helena arrived here  
during the morning from London and  
anchored in the harbor.

## LOOKS MORE PEACEFUL

Improved Conditions Reflected in Var-  
ious Quarters.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The im-  
proved condition of affairs is reflected  
throughout all public quarters—at the  
White House, among cabinet officers  
and at the embassies and legations, in-  
cluding the Spanish legation. At the  
latter establishment Senator Polo said  
that while he could not disclose any of  
the information reaching him in an  
official character, yet he felt that the  
strain of a few hours ago was materi-  
ally relieved and that the prospects  
for peace looked much better. He in-  
no way confirmed, nor would he even  
discuss, views entertained in other  
high official quarters that Spain was  
slowly but surely yielding, and con-  
firmed his utterances to the general  
statement that conditions were im-  
proving.

ALLEN WANTS TO FIGHT.

Nebraska Senator Tenders His Services  
to the Governor.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Senator Allen  
of Nebraska sent the following dispatch:  
"Hon. Silas A. Holcomb, Lincoln,  
Neb.—Tender all state troops without  
delay. In the event of war with Spain  
I desire through you to place my ser-  
vices at the disposal of the state to serve  
the country in such capacity as you  
may assign me in defense of the na-  
tional honor for Cuban liberty."  
(Signed.) "WILLIAM V. ALLEN."

## MORE HOPEFUL AT MADRID

Officially Stated Affairs Have  
Taken a Pacific Turn.

CABINET DISSENSION RUMORED

Bourne Declined Heavily as a Result and  
Public Opinion Remains  
Much Excited.

MADRID, April 8.—The hope of reach-  
ing a peaceful settlement with the  
United States is growing stronger. It  
is reported that the task of an armis-  
tice in Cuba has been arranged. I  
this be true a royal decree will ap-  
pear soon announcing the conclusion of an  
armistice. The official statement that  
affairs have taken a pacific turn has  
not yet become generally known and  
public opinion remains much excited.  
The bureau has declined heavily  
owing to the belief that there is dissension  
in the cabinet, which, however, the  
ministerial supporters absolutely deny.  
It is said that a satisfactory agree-  
ment has been arrived at between the  
United States and Spain.  
Senator Sagasta, the premier, on leav-  
ing the palace for his daily conference  
with the queen regent denied the rum-  
or current of ministerial dissensions.  
In conclusion, the premier denied the  
report of the embarkation of troops for  
the Philippine islands.

## ITS FULLEST SYMPATHY.

British Government Has Assured That  
We Have It.

LONDON, April 8.—On the highest  
authority the Associated Press can  
announce that the British government  
has assured the United States of its  
fullest and most cordial sympathy in  
its Cuban policy. This assurance was  
given with the most complete knowl-  
edge of the latest developments in  
the negotiations between the United States  
and Spain, and on the understanding  
that events are tending steadily toward  
armed intervention in Cuba.  
The British government is even more  
friendly to the United States than the  
newspapers here, having more accurate  
knowledge of the real nature and pur-  
port of the dealings between the United  
States and Spain.

## DOUBTED AT WASHINGTON.

No Fresh Negotiations Have Been Opened  
With Madrid.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Those closest  
to the president refused to discuss the  
Madrid situation further than to say  
that there was no information from  
that quarter and that no fresh negotia-  
tions had been opened. It was re-  
iterated that the crux of the situation  
was in Havana. This was confirmed  
by members of the foreign relations  
committee to whom this explanation  
had been made in such form that they  
professed themselves satisfied to ac-  
cept it.

Big Order for Submarine Cable.

DERBY, CONN., April 8.—The largest  
order ever given by the government  
for submarine cables to be received for  
torpedo purposes has been received at  
the Kent cable works at Seymour, Con-  
necticut upon early shipment. The order  
is for 50 miles of single conductor sub-  
marine cable and 15 miles of No. 7 sub-  
marine cable. The works will be re-  
quired to run night and day for several  
weeks.

Brooklyn's Guns Tested.

FORT MONROE, Va., April 8.—The  
Brooklyn, flagship of the flying quad-  
ron, tried her 8-inch guns during the  
day in order to test the new elevating  
apparatus designed to give them greater  
range. The test was of a most satis-  
factory nature and Commander Schley  
and the Brooklyn was in the best  
of fighting trim.

## CONGRESS WILL WAIT

All Proposed Plans Abandoned  
Pending the Transmittal  
of the Message.

Disappointed at Postponement  
but Accept the Situation  
in Good Faith.

Republicans Favoring Radical  
Action Meet and Discuss  
Future Policy.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Notwith-  
standing the impatience and disap-  
pointment caused among the Republi-  
can members of the house by the  
withholding of the president's message,  
the frank statement of the president to  
the leaders and to several prominent  
Democrats that such a course was  
deemed absolutely necessary by Consul  
General Lee to insure the safe de-  
parture of the Americans in Cuba,  
has caused them to accept the situation  
in good faith. Some of the most rad-  
ical, after hearing the statements of  
those who saw the president, appeared  
satisfied. Those with whom the pre-  
sident talked came away with a very  
strong impression that the message  
would mean war unless Spain backed  
down squarely. One of them, who has  
been very active in antagonizing de-  
lays, says the message  
will be perfectly satisfactory  
to him and will fully meet the expecta-  
tions of the country. Pending the  
transmittal of the message, in view of  
the situation presented by the pre-  
sident, all plans looking to action in the  
house will be abandoned. But those  
who have been taking part in the rad-  
ical movement are more determined  
than ever to ultimately obtain what  
they desire. They, however, are at  
present satisfied with the assurances  
they have received as to the character  
of the message. But this has not pre-  
vented them from organizing for pre-  
sident McKinley's message. The conference  
which was to have been held after the  
message was in was abandoned, but  
of those who originally inaugurated  
the movement met immediately after  
the house adjourned to discuss the  
situation. All who were not  
severely in sympathy with them  
were invited to leave. Those at the  
meeting unanimously agreed to await  
the message, but the movement  
for a caucus started by the president's  
supporters, which was also abandoned  
during the afternoon, exposed to them  
a danger upon which they had not  
reckoned—namely, that a caucus of Re-  
publicans might be called to hand them  
in the position of bolters if the occasion  
arose for them to accept an independent  
platform. A committee of eight  
was therefore appointed to count votes,  
to watch the situation and to devise  
ways and means to meet any tactics of  
the opposition. The committee is as  
follows: Hopkins of Illinois, Lorimer  
of Illinois, Tawney of Minnesota,  
Cooper of Wisconsin, Hepburn of  
Iowa, Brownwell of Ohio, Joy of Mis-  
souri and Knox of Massachusetts.

## ARE NOT ALL PLEASED.

Senators Divided in Their Opinions of the  
President's Action.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The delay in  
the transmittal of the Cuban question  
involved in the announcement made  
that the president's message would  
probably not be sent to congress before  
next Monday was received in the sen-  
ate with varying degrees of favor or  
disfavor, depending largely on the pre-  
judicial and personal political associa-  
tions of senators. All united in the  
necessity for protecting the safety of  
General Lee and the other American  
citizens in Cuba. Many, however,  
were inclined to criticize because our  
citizens had not been removed hereto-  
fore, while others declared protection  
for them should have been sent to  
Havana. "It is a humiliating specta-  
cle," said Senator Quay, "that with  
our fleet within 50 miles of Havana we  
are not able to protect our people in  
that port."

## HAVE STARTED FOR FRANCE

Minister Woodford's Family and the  
Legation Staff Leave Madrid.

MADRID, April 8.—The family of  
United States Minister Woodford has  
started for Biarritz, France.  
The staff of the United States lega-  
tion has left Madrid and will probably  
remain in Paris for the present.

Preparing Auxiliary Cruisers.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Two of the  
ships purchased by the navy depart-  
ment from the Morgan line steamer  
will be sent to the New York navy-  
yard and two of them to the Norfolk navy-  
yard. At the navy yards such changes  
as are necessary to convert them into  
cruisers will be made and the arma-  
ment, which will consist mainly of 6  
inch guns, will be installed.

Chaplain Chidwick Advanced.

NEW YORK, April 8.—Father Chid-  
wick, chaplain of the Maine, who is in  
this city, received a letter from Wash-  
ington that he has been advanced to  
the rank of lieutenant in the United  
States navy.

## THE USUAL RESULT.

Increased Socialist Vote the Only Feature  
of Rhode Island's Election.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 8.—The  
state election resulted in an overwhelm-  
ing Republican victory. Neither party  
conducted a live campaign, the success  
of Governor Dyer and his associates be-  
ing a foregone conclusion. The Social-  
ist Labor vote shows a large increase,  
while the Prohibitionists beat the Dem-  
ocrats in several towns. The legisla-  
ture will be Republican, snatching the  
re-election of United States Senator  
Aldrich. The Democrats in the two  
houses will number only about a dozen,  
and as no Democratic candidate for the  
senate has appeared Senator Aldrich  
may be unopposed.

STATED BY DU BOSQ.

Spain Willing to Leave the Maine Disas-  
ter to Impartial Experts.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Senator du  
Bosc, late charge d'affaires of Spain,  
who was in charge during the critical  
period following the Maine disaster,  
has authorized the following state-  
ment:  
"The report of the Spanish commis-  
sion which investigated the Maine dis-  
aster has not yet had time to reach  
Madrid from Havana. Notwithstanding  
this, the Spanish government is ready  
to submit the evidence of both sides  
to the impartial judgment of the  
expert opinion of the maritime nations  
of the world."

## JAPAN GREATLY EXCITED

Populace Demands That the  
Country Assert Herself.

PUBLIC PRESSURE IS STRONG

Government May Be Forced to Act in  
Spite of Its Finan-  
cial Condition.

LONDON, April 8.—The Yokohama  
correspondent of The Times says: For  
the first time public opinion in Japan  
is vehemently excited. There is no  
general opposition to a Russian occu-  
pation of Wei-Hai-Wei. There is a  
feeling that Japan must assert herself  
and secure some other foothold on the  
Asiatic continent.  
The government is hampered by  
financial considerations, but will prob-  
ably be obliged to yield to public pres-  
sure. Sober people and the officials  
generally favor a British occupation of  
Wei-Hai-Wei, and an Anglo-Japanese  
entente, poor parties for which are pro-  
ceeding favorably.

## SUPPLIES FOR CUBANS.

Hundreds of Tons in the Hands of the  
Relief Committee.

NEW YORK, April 8.—Hundreds of  
tons of supplies for the reconcentrados  
are on their way to this city in care of  
the central Cuban relief committee.  
There is a train of 22 cars filled with  
800 tons of supplies which will arrive  
here shortly from Omaha. Eighty tons  
were to have been sent Wednesday by  
the Ward line steamship Niagara.  
Owing to the fact, however, that the  
vessel was withdrawn the goods are  
piled upon the Ward line pier. They  
will probably be sent by the City of  
Washington, scheduled to sail next  
Saturday. There are also 300 tons of  
supplies now in a Brooklyn warehouse  
waiting shipment.

Admiral Irwin's Opinion.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The foreign  
affairs committee of the house had  
Admiral Irwin, who is an expert on ex-  
plosives, before them during the morning.  
He was asked his opinion as to the  
character of the mine which blew up  
the Maine, and as to whether it was  
possible for such a mine to have been  
located without the knowledge of the  
Spanish authorities. To this inquiry  
he replied in the negative, giving his  
reasons for his opinion.

The Damage at Mare Island.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—A telegram  
received at the navy department from  
the commanding officer at the Mare  
Island navyyard shows that the amount  
of damage suffered from the earth-  
quake shock last week is \$342,000. Sec-  
retary Long will ask congress for a  
special appropriation to make the  
necessary repairs.

Mills to Open Monday.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., April 8.—The  
treasurers of the nine cloth mills now  
on strike have unanimously agreed to  
open the mill gates next Monday morn-  
ing to such operatives as care to return  
to work. It is generally believed that  
a majority of the strikers will go in  
Monday.

Extra Protection for Americans.

NEW YORK, April 8.—The corre-  
spondent of The Commercial Adver-  
tiser cables from Havana as follows:  
Extra guards of mounted police have  
been placed around the Hotel Ingla-  
terra and everywhere that Americans  
assemble. There is no sign of an out-  
break.

Smalley Has an Idea.

LONDON, April 8.—George W. Smal-  
ley, the New York correspondent of  
The Times, expresses the opinion that  
"congress has done its worst and Pres-  
ident McKinley has regained control, if,  
indeed, he ever lost it."

## CAME AS A SURPRISE

Non-Appearance of the Cuban  
Message Was a Stunner to  
the Public

Possible the Document as Pre-  
pared May Never Be Sent  
to Congress.

Persistent Rumor That News  
From Madrid Caused  
the Delay.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The non ap-  
pearance of the president's message in  
congress was sudden and unexpected.  
Its suddenness stunned the public,  
which heard the news in distorted  
forms, and amazed veteran members of  
congress. Ultimately it became known  
that not only would there be no mes-  
sage now but no message this week,  
and that it was a possibility that the  
message written and approved might  
never go to congress at all. The first  
reason for the delay was the adminis-  
tration had received advice from Gen-  
eral Lee at Havana intimating that  
Americans in Cuba would be in grave  
peril if the message preceded their de-  
parture. The second reason, and per-  
haps equally potent with the other,  
slowly drifted into public comprehen-  
sion late in the day. Extreme reticence  
was maintained on the subject by the  
few in Washington who knew the  
facts, and even cabinet officials were  
unadvised on the subject. This impor-  
tant news was that the Spanish govern-  
ment, after what plainly had been most  
exciting times in inner Spanish circles  
at Madrid, had  
Decided to Reopen the Case,  
closed so far as this government was  
concerned, by the refusal of Spain to  
make satisfactory response to the rep-  
resentative one made by the United States  
last week, and in order to avert im-  
pending war had decided to make con-  
cessions heretofore refused. What will  
be the final outcome it is too early to  
say, but the aspect of affairs certainly  
is considerably more pacific and suffi-  
cient to renew the hope of the presi-  
dent in a solution of the Cuban ques-  
tion satisfactory to the American peo-  
ple and achieved without bloodshed.  
The details remain to be worked out,  
but it is expected that between now  
and Monday a clearer light will be  
thrown on the future by action at Ma-  
drid, of which one important feature is  
the declaration of an armistice by the  
queen regent of Spain. This armistice,  
it is expected, will lead to ultimate  
independence of Cuba from Spanish  
rule, but by what intermediate steps  
perhaps even the governing powers do  
not at this time know. Much, it is  
supposed, will depend upon the Cuban  
insurgents and the peoples of the two  
countries, the United States and Spain.

## SAMPSON IS IMPATIENT.

Officers of the Key West Squadron Chaf-  
ing Under Delay

KEY WEST, Fla., April 8.—Intense  
disappointment was exhibited by all  
hands on board the flagship New York  
when the bulletin regarding the re-  
ported settlement at Madrid was read.  
Until 6 o'clock it was confidently be-  
lieved the fleet would sail within 24  
hours for Havana or Porto Rico, and  
the pacific news came like a bombshell.  
Captain Sampson read the dispatch  
with eager interest, after which it was  
read at messes. He believes that there  
is still a chance that the American navy  
may have an opportunity to show what  
it is made of, but he regrets the delay,  
which will probably enable Spain to  
bring her torpedo boats and other  
warships to these waters.



## BUY THE GENUINE 'RUP OF FIGS

MANUFACTURED BY  
...FORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.  
...FURNISH THE NAME

CENT A WORD COLUMN.

VED—A woman cook at the Western  
house. Ed. Adams.

VED—A good girl. Inquire at Banner  
office.

LTH and beauty secured by nature  
and by using a Robinson Thermal Bath  
Mrs. R. H. TRIMBLE, AITZ.

VED—Capable lady or gentleman as  
representative for well established  
university salary, \$50 per month. Call  
on F. A. Bradley, Hotel Sheridan, Bis-  
marck.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

VED—Men in Burlington and adjoining  
counties to act as private detectives.  
Instructions. Experience unnecessary.  
Universal Detective Agency, Indian-  
apolis.

VED—For "The Beautiful Life of  
Anne E. Villard," published under the  
auspices of the N. C. T. E. The  
book, prepared by Anna Gordon,  
Mrs. W. H. Villard's daughter, beautifully  
illustrated, only \$2. Tremendous  
demand. Superb book. Liberal com-  
mission. Credit given. Prompt sale. Write quick  
to Mrs. W. H. Villard, 100 West  
Fourth Street, Dept. 8, 20 Dearborn  
Cage.

Cooperstown: C. M. Shanley, Ludger-  
wood; W. A. Gerrish, Enderlin. The ex-  
amination will last three or four days.

George LeaQue desires to thank all  
who have kindly assisted him during  
the illness and at the time of the death  
of his little son who was buried yester-  
day. The Odd Fellows of Mandan and  
Bismarck and the Workmen of this city  
rendered all assistance possible, and Mr.  
LeaQue feels very thankful and grate-  
ful to them.

In the supreme court today the case  
of the United States Savings and Loan  
company vs. S. A. Shain, from State-  
man county is being tried. Benton and  
Bradley appear for the loan company  
and S. E. Ellsworth and O. McHarg for  
Shain. The matter involved is a  
mortgage and loan debt, in which Shain  
claims that usurious interest was ex-  
acted.

The entertainment for the new Cath-  
olic church will occur at the Athenaeum  
on Monday night of next week. An en-  
tertaining program has been prepared  
and the evening will doubtless be a  
pleasant one, as the entertainment is  
under the direction of Miss Straus,  
who has an enviable reputation for the  
management of excellent entertain-  
ments.

Dugald Campbell, the Emmons coun-  
ty sheepman is in the city today. He  
reports several prairie fires in Emmons  
county near his ranch, which burned off  
all the range up to the fire guards. The  
fire swept along at the rate of fifteen or  
twenty miles an hour and it required  
some hard work to prevent its jumping  
the firebreaks. The Campbell brothers  
have 8,000 or 9,000 acres of range left  
within their firebreaks. Prairie fires  
are unusual so early in the year, as  
there is ordinarily snow or moisture  
enough in the grass to prevent a fire  
sweeping, but this year the grass is dry  
as tinder.

The Missouri at Fort Yates is clear,  
the ice having broken up and gone out  
for a distance of fifteen miles up the  
river from Yates. Crossings with the  
mail are being made with a skiff. Pro-  
prietor Kupitz of the stage line reports  
a rather difficult time in the past ten  
days in getting the mail across the  
river. The ice has been treacherous  
and broken in places, and the mail and  
passengers have been conveyed across  
the river in a boat mounted upon two  
light sleds. This has been pushed  
across the ice by two men, one on each  
side, part of the trip having to be made  
on the ice and part in the water by  
means of the boat.

## Mott's Nerve Pills

The great  
remedy for  
nervous pro-  
stration and  
all nervous  
diseases of the  
generative or-  
gans of either  
sex, such as Nervous Prostration, Failing or  
lost Manhood, Impotency, Nightly Emis-  
sions, Youthful Errors, Mental Worry, ex-  
cessive use of Tobacco or Opium, which  
lead to Consumption and Insanity. \$1.00  
per box by mail; 6 boxes for \$5.00.  
MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., Prop., Cleveland, Ohio.

For sale by Boardley and DePuy, Drugists

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents.

Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak  
men strong, blood pure. 50c. \$1. All druggists.

Reduced prices for the per-

formance of "McGinty, the

Sport" at the Athenaeum Fri-

day night.

W. A. Ford will paint your house.

kalsomine your walls and clean your wall

paper at reasonable prices. Eighth and

Thayer Sts.

Large assortment of fancy ribbons in

stripes, plaids and checks for neckwear,

sashes and trimming. Webb Bros.

CONSPIRACY.

Consul Lee Has Sensational Details

of Destruction of the Maide.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Representa-

tive Lorrimer of Illinois is authority

for the statement that Consul Lee will

make startling disclosures before the

senate foreign relations committee when

he arrives regarding a conspiracy to

blow up the Maine.

New York, April 7.—Joseph H. Gib-

bons who sold mines to Spain for

Havana harbor telegraphs the World it

would be next to impossible to explode

them without design. He tells the kind

of mind sold and how exploded.

A SONG TO THE MEN WHO LOSE.

Here's to the men who lose!

What though their work be o'er so nobly

planned, And watched with swallows care,

No glorious halo crowns their efforts grand.

Contempt is failure's share.

Here's to the men who lose!

It triumphs easy while our struggles greet,

Courage is easy then.

The king is he who after fierce defeat

Can up and fight again.

Here's to the men who lose!

The ready plaudits of a fawning world

Ring sweet in victor's ears.

